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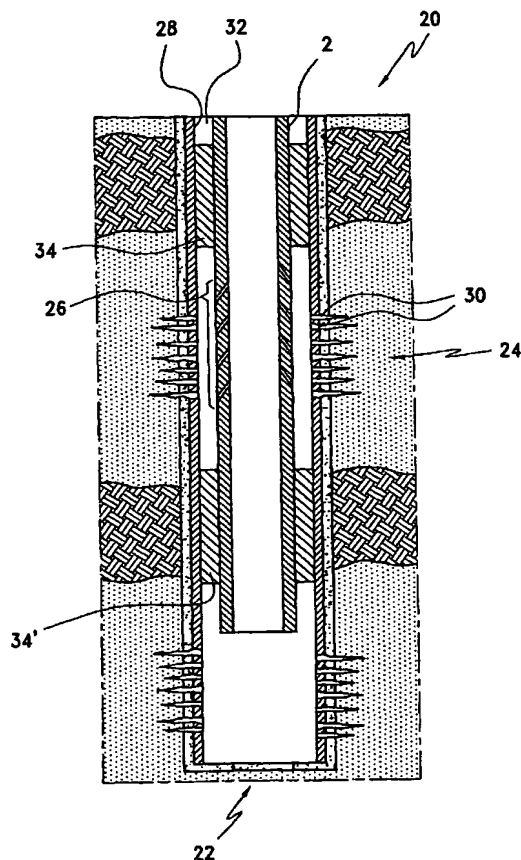
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(57) Abstract: The objective of the invention is to smoothly merge the
influx flow streams with the wellbore flow stream so as to reduce the
pressure drop along the perforated section of the wellbore liner. There is
disclosed a completion liner for a well for the production of hydrocarbons
is provided with angled ports through the sidewall which reduce pressure
drop along the length of the liner. There is also disclosed short imperfo-
rate completion tubing for a well for the production of hydrocarbons
is concentrically mounted alongside substantially only the perforated sec-
tion of the production tubing to cause production fluids to initially flow
toward the wellhead along an annulus defined between completion tubing
and the production tubing prior to exiting the annulus and commingling
with fluids produced from further down hole. There is further disclosed
a completion casing for a well for the production of hydrocarbons which
is provided with angled perforations through the casing sidewall which
reduce flow resistance along the length of the casing.